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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (CARACAS CHANGED TO ACTION ADDEE)

CARACAS FOR ROBERT PASTOR, NSC

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT, PINS, DR

SUBJECT: ELECTION RETURNS FOR NATIONAL DISTRICT (SANTO DOMINGO)

1. THE FIRST OFFICIALLY ISSUED RETURNS, AS RELEASED BY THE ELECTORAL BOARD OF THE NATIONAL DISTRICT, WERE PUBLISHED IN THIS MORNING'S PRESS. THEY INCLUDED RETURNS FROM ALL BUT 5 OF THE 1,279 POLLING PLACES OF THE NATIONAL DISTRICT. THE NUMBERS OF VOTES CAST FOR THE TWO MAJOR PARTIES WERE GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

PRD 254,036 - PR 124,180

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2. THE NEXT LEADING PARTY, THE PARTIDO LIBERACION DOMINICANA (BOSCH'S PARTY), OBTAINED 8,033 VOTES. ALL OF THE OTHER PARTIES RECEIVED LESS THAN 4,000 VOTES.

3. BASED ON THESE RESULTS, THE PRD WOULD GAIN THE HIGHLY IMPORTANT SANTO DOMINGO MAYORALTY, THE SENATORSHIP OF THE DISTRICT (PRD PARTY PRESIDENT JORGE BLANCO) AND 12 DEPUTIES, WHILE THE PR

WOULD GAIN 4 DEPUTIES.

4. THE FOREGOING FIGURES DIFFER FROM THOSE ISSUED BY THE
PRD EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE YESTERDAY. THE PRD CLAIMED TO HAVE RECEIVED
348,205 VOTES IN THE NATIONAL DISTRICT AGAINST 163,861 FOR THE PR.
ACCORDING TO THE PRD TALLY, THE DIFFERENCE IN VOTES OBTAINED BY
THE PRD AND PR IS ABOUT 184,000 WHILE THE DISTRICT ELECTORAL
BOARD FIGURES SHOW A DIFFERENCE OF 131,000. DIFFERENCES BETWEEN
BOARD FIGURES AND PARTY CLAIMS ARE EXPECTED TO GIVE RISE TO
CONSIDERABLE DEBATE.
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